EXHIBIT 1

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

THE HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK, a national banking association,

Plaintiff,

V.

JV SBAM SA LLC, a Michigan Limited liability company, JOHN R. GIBBS, an individual, DIEGO REYES, an individual, GABRIEL P. WEINERT, an individual, MICHAEL OUAKNINE, an individual, and the MICHAEL OUAKNINE LIVING TRUST DATED AUGUST 27, 2019,

CASE: 1:24-cv-00305-JBM-

RSK

HON.: Jane M. Beckering

MAG.: Ray Kent

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF GABRIEL WEINERT

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1746, I hereby declare as follows:

- 1. I, Gabriel Weinert, am a managing partner of JV SBAM SA LLC, a Michigan limited liability company named as a party in this litigation.
- 2. I have reviewed JV SBAM SA LLC's Response in Opposition to The Huntington Bank's Motion for Receiver and verify that each fact therein is accurate.
- 3. I am competent to testify in this matter and if called upon to testify could provide testimony to support all facts set forth therein.
- 4. I declare under the penalty of perjury under the law of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

8-19-24 DATED

GABRIEL WEINERT